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SRI K. V. RAMASWAMI :—" மாடுகளே இல்லாத இடத்தில் மந்தை வைத்திருப்பது சர்க்காருக்குத் தெரியுமா ? "

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU :—" மாடுகள் உற்பத்தியானுல் என்ன செய்வது ? "

SRI P. G. KARUTHIRUMAN :—" **On a point of information, Sir,** மாடுகளே இல்லாத ஊர் எது என்பதை கனம் அங்கத்தினர் தெரியப் படுத்தும்படி கேட்டுக் கொள்ளுகிறேன்.

SRI C. H. KANARAN :—" Whenever the question of assignment of lands to Harijans comes up, very many obstructions are put forward for some reason or other by the villagers so that lands could not be assigned to Harijans. In view of this fact, will the Government make an enquiry into the matter and see that at least a portion of 360 acres and odd available is assigned to Harijans as early as possible? "

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU :—" Yes, Sir. I have already answered that the matter will be looked into."

Elementary Education Committee.

* 1543 *Q.*—SRI M. DHARMALINGAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether any Committee has been constituted to examine the entire system of elementary education;

(*b*) whether the Committee has submitted its report; and

(*c*) if so, what their recommendations are? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" (*a*) Yes, Sir.

" (*b*) No, Sir.

" (*c*) Does not arise."

Opening of a Government Hospital at Mattanur.

* 1544 *Q.*—SRI K. MADHAVAN NAMBIAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government have recently received any representation from the Secretary, Mattanur Youth Congress Committee to open a Government hospital at Mattanur; and

(*b*) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" (*a*) Yes, Sir.

" (*b*) The matter is under consideration."

Fruit Research stations.

* 1545 *Q.*—SRI G. VAGHEESAM PILLAI : Will the Hon. the Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether there are any proposals before the Government to start fruit research stations in the State as a result of Kodur going to Andhra State; and

(*b*) if so, the details thereof? "